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What is he up to down there in the southeast? His staff officers and agents have been

very busy in Romania lately, partly because of the oil wells, and partly because the geographic position makes it a good stepping-off ground for an attack on Turkey.

Other adventures will follow for the sake of oil, which he needs more than any golden treasure. The Persian oil fields are very tempting no doubt.

Is there any way through to Persia and Mesopotamia? That sounds fantastic, but the brains of Adolf Hitler and Herr Von Ribbentrop have fantastic dreams.

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## PLANES BRAVE BAD WEATHER FOR ASSAULTS

## Fleet Chiefs



Wilhelmshaven And Emden Hit During Night Attacks

## ITALY IS RAIDED

British Announce Barracks Ruined At Borkum

ROME, Jan. 9—Enemy bombing attacks on the ports of Naples and Palermo were announced by the Italian high command today.

The attacks on Naples and Palermo, in Sicily, were carried out by planes which came over in "successive waves," the war bulletin said, adding:

"Numerous bombs were dropped on Naples, but most of them fell into the sea. In the harbor one hospital ship and in the city 15 buildings including one church were hit. Five persons were killed and about 30 injured."

"In Palermo no damage of any consequence was caused and there were no victims."

LONDON, Jan. 9—Braving bad weather which kept Nazi raiders on the ground, RAF bombers last night attacked Germany's naval shipyards at Emden and Wilhelmshaven, it was announced officially today.

The Air Ministry stated that terrific explosions and huge fires flared at Wilhelmshaven as a result of the daring assault and that more than 20 fires broke out in Emden's docks as a result of a heavy aerial pasting there.

Airdrome Barracks Hit

Other British bombers attacked a German airdrome at Borkum Islands, where barracks was hit by bombs and fires were caused.

All the attacking British planes returned safely to their bases.

Two Air Ministry communiques told of the new attacks against the Nazi bases.

The first said merely that "the RAF successfully attacked naval bases in northwestern Germany last night."

But the second announcement, issued as full reports from the returning airmen were received, gave more complete details. It stated:

"Last night RAF bombers attacked naval shipyards at Wilhelmshaven and Emden."

"At Wilhelmshaven many explosions were observed. These were followed by large fires."

"More than 20 fires were started at the docks at Emden."

"Other aircraft bombed an enemy airdrome at Borkum, where a barracks was hit and fires broke out. No British aircraft is missing."

Weather Bad

It was understood the British pilots encountered terrible weather on their flights to Emden, Wilhelmshaven and Borkum, but on arriving over their important naval and military targets found much clearer visibility.

This, it was stated, ensured that the British bombs fell on the target areas.

It was recalled that Wilhelmshaven and Borkum were terribly bombarded by the British

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## FALL OF TOBRUK MATTER OF DAYS

Britain's Speedy Forces Surround Stronghold Of Il Duce

## BENGHAZI STAND HINTED

Plans Of Graziani Being Watched Carefully By Attackers

## European Bulletins

With The British Army Before Tobruk, Jan. 9—Italy's forces in the arid Libyan desert appeared virtually paralyzed today as the swiftly striking British imperial forces led by Gen. Sir Archibald Wavell closed in relentlessly around the Fascist stronghold of Tobruk.

British airmen, returning from far-flung reconnaissance flights, reported they were unable to detect any sign of Italian troop movements anywhere in the Tobruk region.

As the British investment of Tobruk continued, some observers expressed belief that the Italians might let this stronghold go to the British with slight opposition, and that Italian Marshal Rodolfo Graziani might elect to make his final, desperate stand at Benghazi.

Hour by hour the British troops closed in and pressed around and beyond Tobruk, which was virtually surrounded by Wavell's forces as early as yesterday.

Today this cordon of men and mechanized weapons grew so tight, authorities said, that Tobruk is virtually cut off from all avenues of rescue.

British authorities said it would be practically impossible for the Italians to obtain reinforcements from the West, since swift British mechanized units—speedy tanks and armored cars—control the area directly west of the beleaguered Libyan port and fortress.

Similar To Bardia

The British tactics at Tobruk are similar to those which resulted in the fall of Bardia, which was accomplished with almost negligible losses to the British in contrast to the thousands of Italians killed, wounded or captured in their futile defense of the town.

Meanwhile, search continued for Gen. Annibale (Electric Whiskers) Bergonzoli, the Italian general who commanded the defense of Bardia. At first he was reported

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## CHICAGO FACING MAJOR CRISIS AS STRIKE STARTS

CHICAGO, Jan. 9—Chicago's municipal household was paralyzed today by a strike of 2,000 AFL union members against the city's proposed ten percent wage cut.

The 13 unions that went out on strike left skeleton crews to man essential services, such as police and fire alarms, but the strike brought these immediate effects to the nation's second largest city:

No traffic lights were operated in the city, leaving skeins of tangled traffic in all sections.

The garbage collectors refused to service the city's four millions.

City officials, politicians and office workers jammed into city hall lobby and literally were funnelled into the two elevators that the unions had to operate because of fire regulations. The other 12 elevators were idle.

It was cold in city hall, too, and there were no lights. The fires were banked at 8 a. m. when the strike started, and dwindled to almost nothing in short order.

The temperature in Chicago was 31 degrees above zero at 10 a. m. Members of the Electricians' Union took care of the lights by pulling a master switch.

## ICEBERG INVades NORTH RIVER, BELIEVE IT OR NOT

NEW YORK, Jan. 9—For a few hectic minutes, the crew aboard city police launch No. 3 imagined they were far off their humdrum course in the North River.

For there, looming up ahead of them was an iceberg; but a real one.

It stove a hole in the boat's side. Weather experts said today it was just an unusually heavy ice floe adrift in the normally safe North River.

## LEND-LEASE ACT BEING SPEEDED

President Hopes Approval Will Be Voted Before Inauguration Day

## CONFERENCES UNDER WAY

Wheeler's Bloc, Strong And Militant, May Prevent Quick Action

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9—Stamped as the No. 1 bill of the 77th congress, the lend-lease plan to provide billions in arms and munitions to Great Britain, Greece and China will grant President Roosevelt vast powers to direct the plan and will probably be introduced tomorrow, congressional leaders indicated today.

Mr. Roosevelt himself is scheduled to place final approval on the measure at a White House conference before it is placed before congress.

The Italians were mowed down as they made a costly but futile attempt to storm a Greek defense post beyond Pogradec on the snowy-covered frigid northern battle front.

(Editor's Note: Reports received in Budapest via Belgrade told of heavy fighting on the Tepeleni-Klisura sector in Central Albania, where the Italians were claimed to have occupied a few Greek positions.

(These dispatches added that the Greeks claimed to have seized a 6,000-foot mountain peak near Elbasan, key point for defense of Tirana, the Albanian capital.)

Developments on the northern front, where the Greeks have been driving against Elbasan, pointed to a major battle for possession of that strategic stronghold—possibly in the near future, depending on the progress the Greeks can make through the deep snow drifts.

When the Italians tried to storm the Greek position beyond Pogradec, the Greek artillery batteries and machine gun nests opened up with a death-dealing fire that ripped holes in the ranks of the Italians.

Reports from the front said the Fascists were "decimated" and forced to leave 20 of their dead on the field of battle.

In the Klisura region on the central front, other dispatches said, the Greeks took a number of Fascist prisoners.

Meanwhile, Italian planes bombed the Greek port of Saloni, narrowly missing a conspicuously marked Red Cross hospital filled with patients, many of them Italian prisoners wounded and then rescued by the Greeks and sent back from the front for treatment.

The new command will include the present Puerto Rico department, the Panama Canal department, and the new base command recently set up on Trinidad, one of the Caribbean bases obtained from Great Britain.

The speakers were Prime Minister Winston Churchill and Viscount Halifax, new British ambassador to the United States. The occasion was a luncheon of the Pilgrims, outstanding Anglo-American society, in honor of Lord Halifax prior to his departure for Washington.

Lord Halifax stressed the set-

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## HORSE'S ROLE IN ARMY NOT SO IMPORTANT, BUT UNCLE SAM WANTS BEST

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9—The cavalry may not have the role in modern warfare that it had in other years, but Uncle Sam still wants the best in horses.

The War Department announced today that it had purchased 20 stallions, including some sired by such famous horses as Sun Beau and Man O' War and other members of turfdom's "hall of fame" and dispatched them to army stations for use in breeding army mounts.

Stimson stoutly refused at his press conference to disclose the number of men going to outlying bases. Asked about this, he declared bluntly:

"What is the use of telling Mr. Hitler how many men we will have on these bases—he may have ways of finding out, but I won't be one of them."

The new Caribbean defenses will be under command of Lt. Gen. Daniel Van Voorhis, the present commanding officer of the Panama Canal department, Stimson said.

Figures compiled at Thursday night's committee meeting will be presented to Council at its meeting next Wednesday.

City Council's finance committee, consisting of B. H. Gordon, Frank Lynch and Clarence Helvering, will meet Thursday evening with City Auditor Lillian Young to prepare a tentative budget for 1941.

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Theories—clues—motive?

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ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Jan. 9—Detective Dan McCarthy shrugged it off as "just a hunch" today but the grateful parents of kidnapped George Stubbs, Jr., age two months, are convinced that Detective Dan is the greatest sleuth outside of book covers.

The baby was snatched from its carriage outside a chain store where the mother was shopping. McCarthy was given the details last night when he reported to the police station and slapped a kidnapping charge against her.

The solution?

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LONDON, Jan. 9—With snow threatening further falls over the landscape of Europe it is likely there will be a full in the tempo of events on the continent.

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vasion or southeastward in search of oil.

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## Populace Acclaims Victorious Albanian Campaigners



BRITISH and Greek soldiers are pictured during the wild ovation they were accorded by Greek citizens when they returned to Athens after victories against the Italians in Albania.

## NEW COLD WAVE TO STRIKE OHIO

Frigid Weather To Come From Northwest Late Thursday

By International News Service  
Ohio's brief respite from bitterly cold temperatures was to come to a shivery close today as a new cold wave was scheduled to move in from the Northwest.

Temperatures throughout the state this morning were just above the freezing mark, except along the Ohio River, where they ranged seven or eight degrees higher. However, forecasters warned that a new cold wave was moving into the state, and that several days' cold weather was in store.

Light rain, later turning to snow, was to accompany the drop in temperature. Tomorrow was to be generally fair but continued cold.

Road conditions throughout the state were reported as generally fair by the state highway department, but were expected to become increasingly hazardous as more snow fell and the mercury dropped. The northern part of the state already was blanketed with snow in depth from one-quarter of an inch to 2½ inches in the Cleveland area.

## OUR WEATHER MAN



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# Radcliff Named To Major Post

## Pickaway County Solon Chairman Of Group Considering Finances For Institutions

William D. Radcliff, Pickaway County's representative in the General Assembly, was appointed Wednesday to an important chairmanship in the legislature, the G. O. P. official being named to head the educational section of the Finance Committee.

This committee, which is a part of the general Finance Committee, one of the most important in the Assembly, considers appropriations for the various state-supported educational institutions.

The Williamsport man is also a member of the judiciary committee. He was appointed also by house officials as a member of the spe-

cial committee which will investigate two election contests for seats in the Assembly. The committee has had its first meeting and has instructed contestants to file briefs stating their claims by next Tuesday at 2 p. m.

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## ‘Economy’ Keynote of State’s Legislators

COLUMBUS, Jan. 9—The House Finance committee went to work today on the partial appropriation bill already passed by the Senate as the 94th General Assembly concluded its first week's work.

Several clashes marked preliminary sessions as Democrats and Republicans sparred over patronage and committee assignments, but in practically every instance GOP members emerged victorious because they held majorities in both houses.

The senate made short work of the temporary budget, which called for a total of \$76,617,000 to operate the state during the first six months of the year. House leaders predicted the measure would be passed finally next Monday or Tuesday in time to assure payment of January 15 salaries.

Actions of Republican leaders in early sessions indicated that the GOP dominated legislature and state administration again would concentrate on “economy” in government.

The Senate finance committee, under the chairmanship of Sen. Fred L. Adams, (R-Bowling

Green), slashed a total of \$1,149,000 from the original budget estimates.

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# Radcliff Named To Major Post

Pickaway County Solon Chairman Of Group Considering Finances For Institutions

William D. Radcliff, Pickaway County's representative in the General Assembly, was appointed Wednesday to an important chairmanship in the legislature, the G. O. P. official being named to head the educational section of the Finance Committee.

This committee, which is a part of the general Finance Committee, is one of the most important in the Assembly, considers appropriations for the various state-supported educational institutions.

The Williamsport man is also a member of the judiciary committee. He was appointed also by house officials as a member of the spe-

cial committee which will investigate two election contests for seats in the Assembly. The committee has had its first meeting and has instructed contestants to file briefs stating their claims by next Tuesday at 2 p. m.

## 'Economy' Keynote of State's Legislators

COLUMBUS, Jan. 9.—The House Finance committee went to work today on the partial appropriation bill already passed by the Senate as the 94th General Assembly concluded its first week's work.

Several clashes marked preliminary sessions as Democrats and Republicans sparred over patronage and committee assignments, but in practically every instance GOP members emerged victorious because they held majorities in both houses.

The senate made short work of the temporary budget, which called for a total of \$76,617,000 to operate the state during the first six months of the year. House leaders predicted the measure would be passed finally next Monday or Tuesday in time to assure payment of January 15 salaries.

Actions of Republican leaders in early sessions indicated that the GOP dominated legislature and state administration again would concentrate on "economy" in government.

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The administration's economy keynote was sounded in the House by Majority Floor Leader Harold W. Houston (R-Champaign), when he argued in favor of a legislative rule banning publication of "unnecessary" bills.

In the past, all of the hundreds of bills submitted were published and distributed to legislators, although only a comparatively few ever reached the floor for a vote.

Under the rule, the reference committee now may decide whether a bill is important enough to be printed.

Except for the passage of the Budget bill, little action is expected in the assembly until after Governor Bricker delivers his message next Wednesday. Bricker and elected state officials are to be inaugurated Monday at ceremonies in the rotunda of the state capitol at noon.

### Estimates Studied

Meanwhile, State Finance Director Herbert Defenbacher is busy conferring with department heads about estimated funds needed for operation during the present biennium.

It was understood that Bricker wants the general appropriation bill ready for submission to the Assembly by February 15 to insure a short session. Defenbacher, however, said his office was "swamped" with work and expressed doubt he could prepare it by that time.

Municipal officials were cheered by introduction in the Senate of a bill appropriating \$2,206,000 as the state's share of funds spent for relief last year. The measure was introduced as an emergency bill by Sen. Grant P. Ward (R-Columbus).

Investigation of two election contests of its members faces the House when it resumes sessions next week. Contestants are J. Lillard Farnworth and Louis N. Lideman in Lucas and Orin L. Graves and Gladys E. Davis in Scioto.

Contestants have been ordered to submit statements on their claims not later than 2 p. m. next Tuesday. The probe will be conducted by a committee comprised of four Republicans and three Democrats. Houston is chairman of the group, while Minority Floor Leader H. L. Mason, Wyandot, is secretary.

Skirmishes during early sessions indicate Republicans should have no trouble pushing through regular legislation during the session. However, the GOP majorities in the two Houses are not great enough to push through emergency bills if Democrats decide to oppose them.

House membership at present is divided 78 to 59 in favor of Republicans and in the Senate there are 17 Democrats and 19 GOP members.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Probate Court this 19th day of December, 1940.

CHARLES H. RADCLIFF, Sheriff of Pickaway County, Ohio.

CHARLES H. MAY, Attorney.

(Jan. 8, 16, 23, 30; Feb. 6)

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3. Ambrose E. Moul, Administrator of the Estate of David O. Fullerton, deceased. First and final account.

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To London?



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**CATTLE PRICES AT AUCTION GO UP BY 50 CENTS**

Cattle receipts at the Pickaway Livestock Association sale Wednesday were 50 cents higher than last week, with 139 head selling from \$10 to \$11.80.

Hog receipts were steady to higher, top prices being quoted at \$7.60. Calve and sheep prices were steady.

**PICKAWAY LIVESTOCK COOP. ASSOCIATION Auction and Yard Sales CIRCLEVILLE, OHIO**

**CATTLE RECEIPTS** — 139 head; higher: Steers and Heifers, \$5.40; Steers and Heifers, medium to good, \$5.00 to \$5.40; Steers and Heifers, common to medium, \$4.50 to \$5.00; Cows, common to medium, \$4.10 to \$5.50; Bulls, \$4.80 to \$7.90.

**HOGS RECEIPTS** — 490 head; steady to higher: Good to Choice, 180 lbs. to 240 lbs., \$7.20 to \$7.60; Medium, 140 lbs. to 200 lbs., \$6.75 to \$7.50; Heavyweights, 250 lbs. to 400 lbs., \$6.45 to \$7.10. Packing Houses—Lights, 250 lbs. to 350 lbs., \$5.30 to \$6.50; Heavy, 350 lbs. to 450 lbs., \$6.50 to \$7.90; Lambs, medium to fair, \$6.30 to \$7.10.

**CALVES RECEIPTS** — 43 head; Good to Choice, \$1.00 to \$1.30; Medium to Good, \$0.80 to \$1.00.

**STEER AND HEIFER RECEIPTS** — 43 head; no good lambs on sale; Lambs, medium to fair, \$8.50 to \$9.05; Lambs, common to fair, \$6.00 to \$6.50; Ewes, medium to fair, \$3.00 per head.

**WAIST SIZES 26 to 36 \$3.75 Values**

**Sale Price**

## PETTENGILL

"The Gentleman from Indiana"

### ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS REWARD

This column offers three prizes of fifty, thirty and twenty dollars for the best answers to the following question:

"In the long run, are dictatorships more efficient than republics?

Limit your answer to two hundred words. Mail it within one week after this column appears to Samuel B. Pettengill, Shoreham Building, Washington, D. C.

This contest is open to the rank and file American, to all except lawyers, teachers, professors, economists and professional writers. The names of the winners will appear in the first column published in February, together with excerpts from the winning answers. At that time I shall submit another question with like prizes. And so on for several months, perhaps throughout the year.

There is no catch whatever in this. It is on the up and up. There will be no trick questions.

This is my own idea. No one suggested it. But, of course, there is a reason. In fact, two reasons.

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"In 1787 some men decided to try to sell constitutional government to our forefathers. They wrote the Federalist Papers. And for two years these men and their friends argued the question in every city and hamlet and hearthside in the thirteen original states. Not to win a political campaign. Not to elect anybody to the pay roll. Just to bring a strong free government to birth.

"That's all. But it was the most successful advertising campaign this world knew until Karl Marx and Hitler and Stalin started another to attack their work and destroy it.

"But that was 153 years ago. It's like advertising Ivory Soap.

**NOT the Cheapest But the Best Used Cars**

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**COURT NEWS**

**PICKAWAY COUNTY Common Pleas Court**

R. G. Colville, treasurer of Pickaway County; Jeannette Leist, Jenkins Leist, administratrix of the estate of William H. Leist, and Estelle B. Leist, tax foreclosure filed.

**Probate Court**

W. R. Spangler, final account approved.

Iva E. Phelps estate, sale of personal property reported and confirmed.

**ROSS COUNTY Common Pleas Court**

J. G. Baker vs. Nona J. Baker, petition for divorce filed.

**Probate Court**

Mary C. Gaynor estate, letters of administration issued to Geraldine Gaynor.

**FAIRFIELD COUNTY Common Pleas Court**

Cella and George Johnson, petition for alimony filed.

Lulu L. Bizzell vs. Edward Crist, partition ordered.

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Jeannette McMillan vs. Robert B. McGinnis, petition for divorce filed.

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But the Germans were thought to have carried out repairs, and this was the reason for last night's "return visit."

While these attacks were in progress, not a single Nazi raider appeared over Britain. It was the third successive night that the Nazis have failed to carry out bombing assaults on the British Isles. Absence of German planes was attributed to the bad weather, which failed nevertheless to check RAF operations.

## PRIESTS SAVE CHURCH

At the same time, it was revealed that steel-helmeted priests acting as fire wardens saved Westminster Cathedral, Great Britain's chief Roman Catholic Church, from the effects of incendiary bombs during a recent raid.

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## DERBY

By Mrs. M. C. Edwards

The W. S. C. S. will meet Thursday, January 16 with Mrs. Agnes Matthaei assisted by the January division. Instead of the regular 10 cent collection being taken a small contribution consisting of fruit, jelly, groceries, etc. will be taken to be sent to South Side Settlement.

Howard Wright returned to school at Berea, Kentucky, Esther Gantz to Miami University and Robynelle Carnell to Columbus.

The W. C. T. U. will hold an all day meetings with a covered dish dinner and carpet rag sewing Tuesday of next week at home of Jennie Stump. Each one is asked to bring table service.

Samuel Kiehl of New York City who spent the holidays with the Lewis Gantz family returned home Sunday.

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## MARKETS

CASH quotations made to farmers in Circleville.

### POULTRY

Heavy Springers	16
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Leghorn Springers	12
Old Roosters	.08
Leghorn Hens, 4 lb. up	10
Cream	30
Eggs	15
Wheat	85
Yellow Corn	62
White Corn	63
Soybeans	59

### CLOSING MARKETS

FURNISHED BY THE J. W. ESHELMAN & SONS WHEAT

Open	High	Low	Clos.
May—87%	87%	87%	87%
July—82%	82%	82%	82%
Sept.—82%	82%	82%	83

CORN

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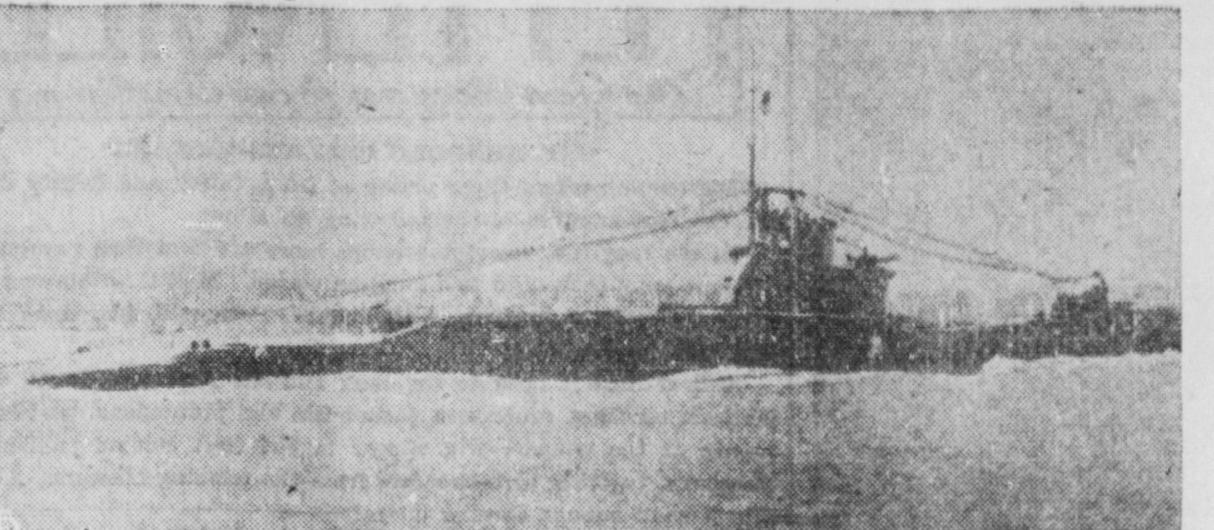
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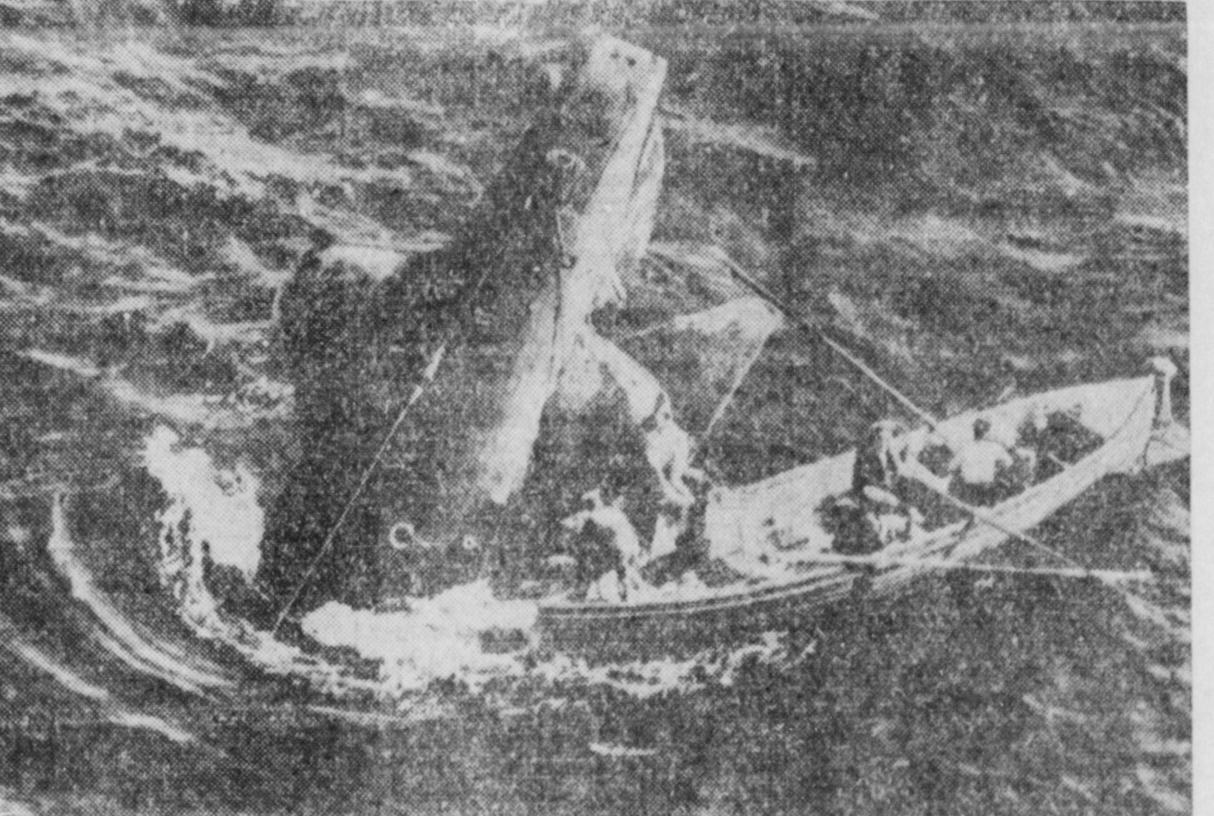
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Unlimited authorization of money is provided in the tentative draft, it was learned. Sen. Barkley predicted initial appropriations of \$2,000,000,000 to \$5,000,000,000 to finance the plan, with more likely to follow.

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### OPINIONS DIFFERING

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By Drew Pearson and Robert S. Allen

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9—As nearly as official U. S. observers in Europe can gauge the situation, there is a split inside the German High Command over immediate Nazi strategy. The split is similar to that existing in Berlin last winter over deciding whether to strike at France, or into the Balkans.

Hitler listened carefully to both sides, then made the decision himself. Doubtless that is what he will do today. The two schools of thought inside the German High Command are:

1. Those who believe the war of attrition against England should continue with air raids and submarine sinkings. They believe the United States will not be able to arm adequately until fall, and that Britain can be weakened and reduced to surrender before then. This group does not want to risk loss of a large number of men in an outright attack across the Channel.

2. The second group urges invasion immediately. Their chief argument is that the United States soon will be helping Great Britain to an extent which may become dangerous, and they think Germany should act now so as to avoid any risks.

#### Immediate Invasion?

Apparently Hitler has not yet made up his mind which school of strategy he favors, though he seems to be leaning toward immediate action.

Signs of this are the large concentrations of troops along the Atlantic Coast from Norway to northwest France. In Brittany and Normandy, all owners of homes have been ordered to evaluate a strip of land about thirty miles back from the coast. Communications between this 30-mile coastal area and the rest of France have been completely suspended.

Simultaneous attacks upon the British Isles and the Balkans are not out of the question, though dependent upon the weather. Heavy weather in the Balkans will make any major advance extremely hazardous; foggy weather in the English Channel should make a Nazi invasion of England easier than at almost any other time.

Fog sometimes is so thick over the Channel that it is absolutely impossible for airplanes to spot ships below, and this is exactly the covering a Nazi expeditionary force needs to edge up to the shores of England. It will be recalled that last September the ability of the R. A. F. to spot Nazi invasion ships broke up the attempt at that time.

NOTE—Obviously the renewed efforts of the United States to arm and President Roosevelt's public urging must be a factor in Hitler's final decision between the two schools in the German High Command.

### Legal Notice

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All interested parties are hereby notified that the following named Administrators, have filed their schedules of claims, debts and liabilities in the Probate Court of Pickaway County, Ohio:

1. A. D. Elder, Administrator of the Estate of Hoyt D. Hedges, deceased.

2. Cecil Deardurff, Administrator of the Estate of Hannah T. Hunter, deceased.

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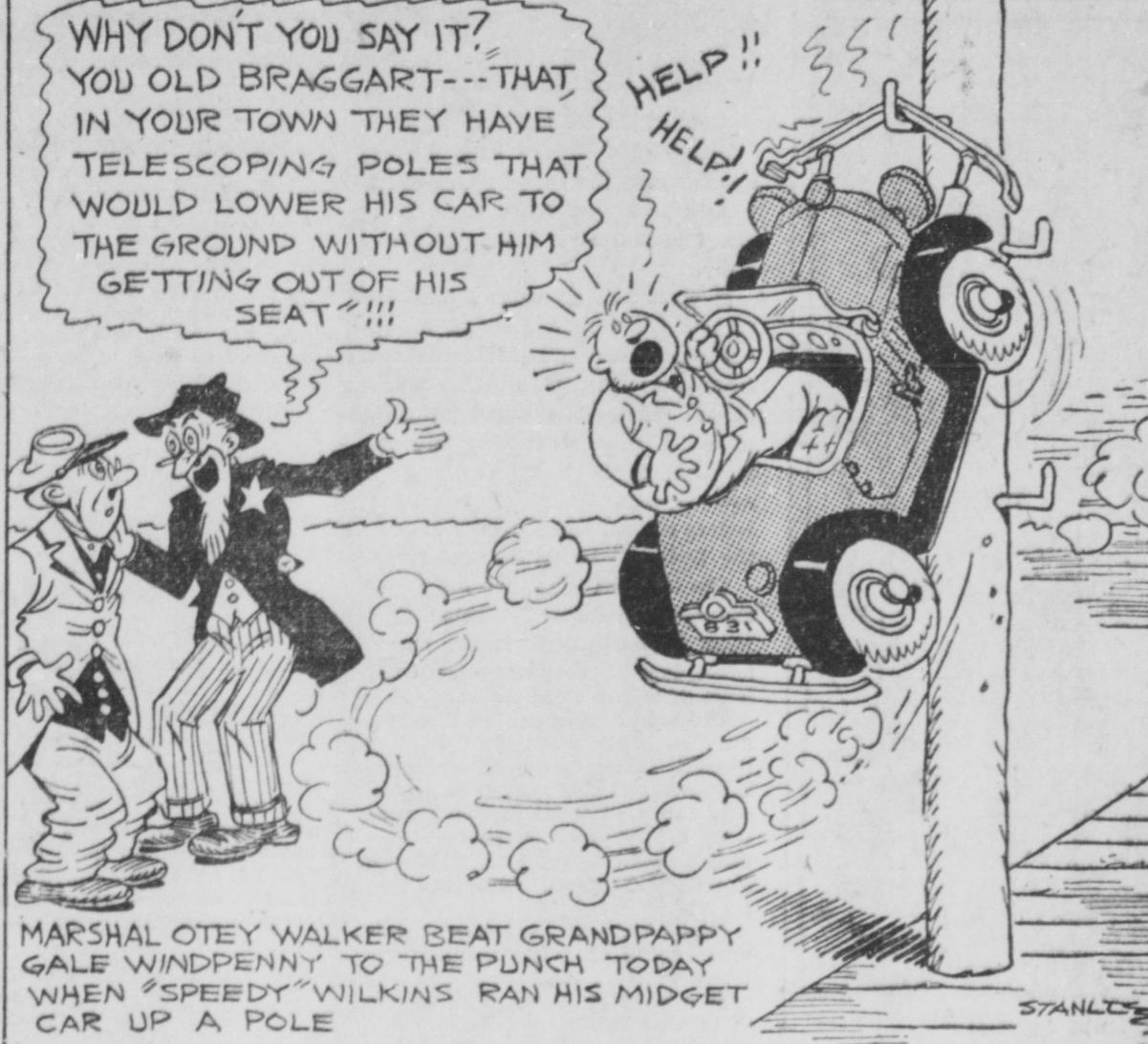
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### SCHOOL BOARDS CONTINUE TO LIST THEIR OFFICERS

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J. L. Baum was reelected president of the Harrison Township board, with James E. Kuhwein, vice-president; R. H. Teegardin, clerk. Other members of the board include B. S. Miller, T. W. Purcell and Charles Wilson.

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## OPINIONS DIFFERING

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By Drew Pearson and Robert S. Allen

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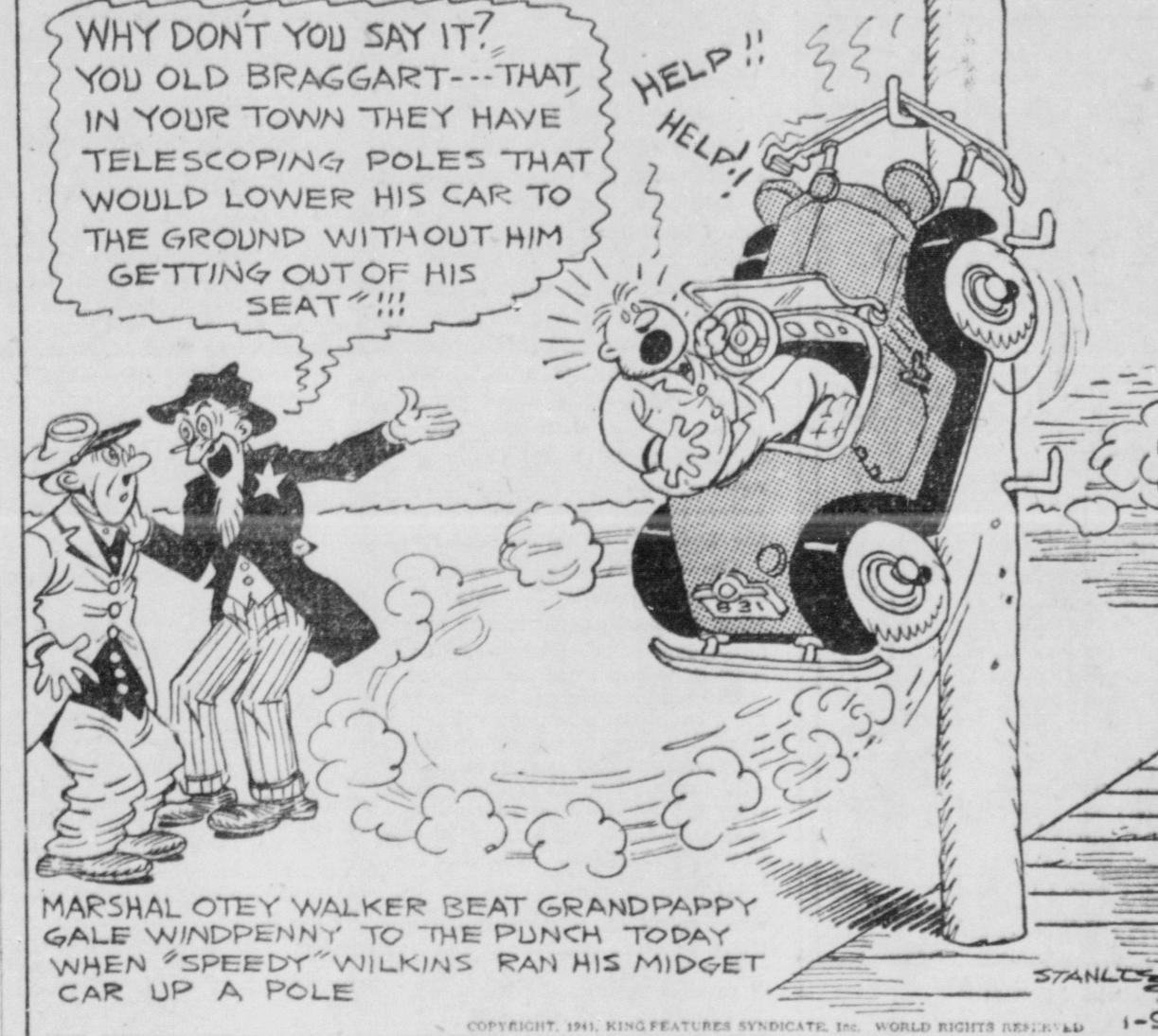
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Dorothy is to face juvenile court charges later.

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**10 YEARS AGO**  
A gift of \$25 was received by Dr. D. V. Courtright from Leon Friedman of New York City, son of Mrs. Ben Friedman of Circleville, to be given to Berger Hospital.

**Four smallpox cases** in Walnut Township were quarantined by the county health office. The children were pupils in the first grade at the Walnut Township School, including Daniel Runkle, Dorothy Weaver, Betty Glick and Charles Sack.

**Norman Aronson** returned to Ada to resume his law studies at Ohio Northern University after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Aronson.

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anonymous letter is always rank poison. My only thought was to get rid of it."

"I'd keep it," Mark spoke impudently.

"I think it's merely another attempt on Aunt Althea's part to get the afternoon, and I don't want to get too far ahead of her. We've almost finished with great-grandfather's chest; we'll be able to start on yours tomorrow."

"She didn't hit Jabez over the head!" Mark's words were like an icy gale sweeping over me. "And can you imagine her spelling or allowing anyone else to spell her name with an 'r'?"

"You mean you thing—"

"Impatiently, Mark interrupted him.

"I don't know what I do think—except that that paper is worth keeping."

Slowly Cary smoothed out the rumpled ball, folded it, drew out his wallet and placed it within.

"You win, Mark. I'll keep it."

"I'll be glad when I can go over those papers. That'll end all this foolishness. I should have done it before, but Granddad asked me to wait until we could go over them in the morning."

"That's fine," Mark said heartily.

"When you've done that you'll know what, if anything, Aunt Althea's raising all this rumpus for."

With that we left the breakfast table. If there was anything more said on the subject, I didn't hear it.

The rest of the day was quiet, uneventful. Next morning Cary came into the alcove where I was typing.

"I want you rested and fit as a fiddle, Granddad," he said. "I'd like you to tell me in detail about every one of your papers."

The stories which the captain had told us of his father included running the blockade in the War of 1812, fights with Caribbean pirates and hostile South Sea islanders, voyages made in the China sea trade and races around the Horn to San Francisco and Australia during the gold rushes. My notebook was the most enthralling thing I had ever transcribed, and I worked until midnight getting caught up on the work.

The next day we started on the papers from the captain's chest. I had wondered what he could tell of interest after the thrilling things to which I had listened, but I soon found that, if different, his life had been quite as exciting as his father's.

His own experiences included fights with Malay and Chinese pirates; running the gauntlet of Confederate cruisers during our own Civil war; trips to South Africa with cargoes of farming tools for the Boers and lumber from Puget sound to Australia; fascinating descriptions of foreign ports with their people and customs commonplace to them, so odd to us and memorable hours of hurricanes and days in the doldrums to point a vivid contrast.

I felt as though I were living in a dream. That book of Cary's would be thrilling enough for a best seller even if the characters in it were those of real life instead of fiction.

When the captain's papers were finished we started on those of Captain and Mrs. Essex III. I was nervous and uneasy, wondering just what might be found there, but hours passed uneventfully. The life of the last Captain Essex had not been so exciting as that of his father or grandfather. His logs and papers were mostly humdrum records of hard times, increasing wages, ballasted voyages from port to port in search of a cargo and bitter accounts of the steamers which made his Gay Lady a back number.

Suddenly, I saw Cary start violently, cast an anxious glance at his father, and deliberately slip a paper out of the pile before him into his pocket.

(To Be Continued)

### You're Telling Me!

For Thursday, January 9

EXCELLENT prospects are found among the astral auguries for this day, which may bring definite progress in giving an expansive and stabilizing spur to plans and objectives of major scope. These may be in cooperation with very large corporations, or with political, diplomatic or fraternal bodies in which sagacity, subtlety and finesse may be successful rather than indulging in strenuous, aggressive and reckless methods, or in other forms of excess, agitation or lack of control. Be calm and subtle in all circumstances.

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It must have been Mussolini, on getting no word from the Albanian or African fronts, remarked: "No news is good news."

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Grandpappy Jenkins is peeved because A. S. C. A. P. is removing all that music from the airwaves, didn't take the crooners along with it.

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Italy, with troops struggling through blizzards in Albania and sand storms in north Africa, must have come to the conclusion that Mother Nature has joined the Allies.

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There's been so much rain instead of snow this winter that Zadok Dumbkopf now wants to trade his pair of skis for a surf board.

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Etiquette forbids a Korean to utter the name of a parent or an uncle.

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It's fortunate throughout life. He or she will be energetic, ingenious, original and of quick perceptions and sound judgment, but somewhat hasty-tempered.

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## Social Calendar

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ASHVILLE GARDEN CLUB, home Mrs. E. L. Runkle, Ashville, Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

### FRIDAY

GLEANERS' CLASS, HOME Mrs. Jacob Glitt, East Franklin Street, Friday at 7:30 p. m.

ZELDA BIBLE CLASS, METHODIST CHURCH, Friday at 7:30 p. m.

WASHINGTON GRANGE, Washington School, Friday at 7:30 p. m.

WAYNE ADVISORY COUNCIL, home J. B. Stevenson, Wayne Township, Friday at 7:30 p. m.

### MONDAY

WALNUT P.T.A., WALNUT School, Monday at 7:30 p. m.

DAUGHTERS OF 1812, HOME Mrs. Lee Shaner, East Union Street, Monday at 2:30 p. m.

MRS. MARION'S CLASS, HOME Miss Helen Liston, Columbus Pike, Monday at 7:30 p. m.

### TUESDAY

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CIRCLE 4, W. S. C. S., HOME Mrs. Gilbert Teegardin, South Court Street, Tuesday at 2:30 p. m.

SCIOTO VALLEY GRANGE, the grange hall, Tuesday at 7:30 p. m.

O. E. S. MASONIC TEMPLE, Tuesday at 7:30 p. m.

WESTMINSTER BIBLE CLASS, home Mrs. Lee Shaner, East Union Street, Tuesday at 7:30 p. m.

LOYAL DAUGHTERS' CLASS, U. B. community house, Tuesday at 7:30 p. m.

STAR GRANGE, MONROE School, Tuesday at 7:30 p. m.

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AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY, Post room, Memorial Hall, Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

EARNEST WORKERS' CLASS, Methodist Church, Wednesday at 6:30 p. m.

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### Diley-Pinney

Formal announcement has been made of the wedding of Miss Evelyn R. Pinney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Beverly Pinney of Dublin, and Mr. James M. Diley, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. James M. Diley of Waverly. The ceremony was performed in the home of the bride's parents December 26, the Rev. Roy Phillip officiating.

Miss Esther Mae Pinney, sister of the bride, and Mr. Owen Throckmorton, brother-in-law, were the only attendants.

Mr. Diley, a graduate of Ohio State University, is a teacher in the Williamsport High School.

### Dinner Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Fred B. Wiggins of Pinckney Street had for their dinner guests Wednesday at their home, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Black, Mrs. Francis Clark of Jamestown; Mrs. Linnie Rogers of Hamilton, Mo.; Mrs. Sarah Reichelderer of Tarlton.

### Ladies' Society

About 45 were present for the January session of the Ladies' Society of Trinity Lutheran Church. Mrs. Charles Diehlman, incoming vice president, conducting the meeting in the parish house. Mrs. Frank Palm, secretary, and Mrs. John Goeller, treasurer, took their chairs.

The business meeting was devoted to the annual reports of work in the various departments.

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Mr. and Mrs. Edward Schiering and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Schiering were New Year's day guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Schiering of Cincinnati.

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Mrs. Carson Horton of Columbus is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Clara Renick of Watt Street.

Atlanta

Miss Nelle Oesterle of Walnut Township was a Wednesday shopping visitor in Circleville.

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Mrs. Charles Lewis has returned to her home on West Franklin Street after an extended visit with relatives in Detroit, Mich.

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Mrs. Wade Cook of Mt. Sterling was a Wednesday guest of her sister, Miss Laura Mantle, of East Main Street.

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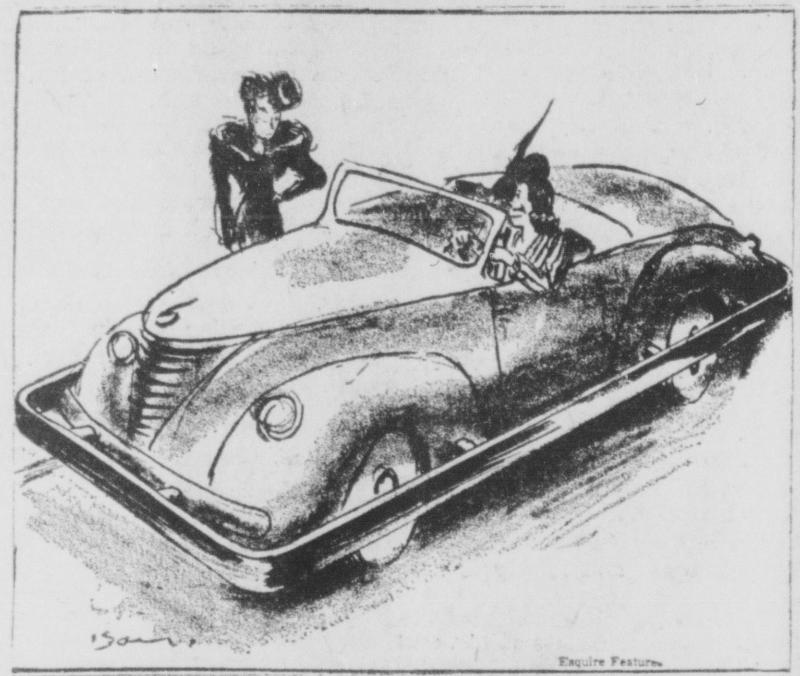
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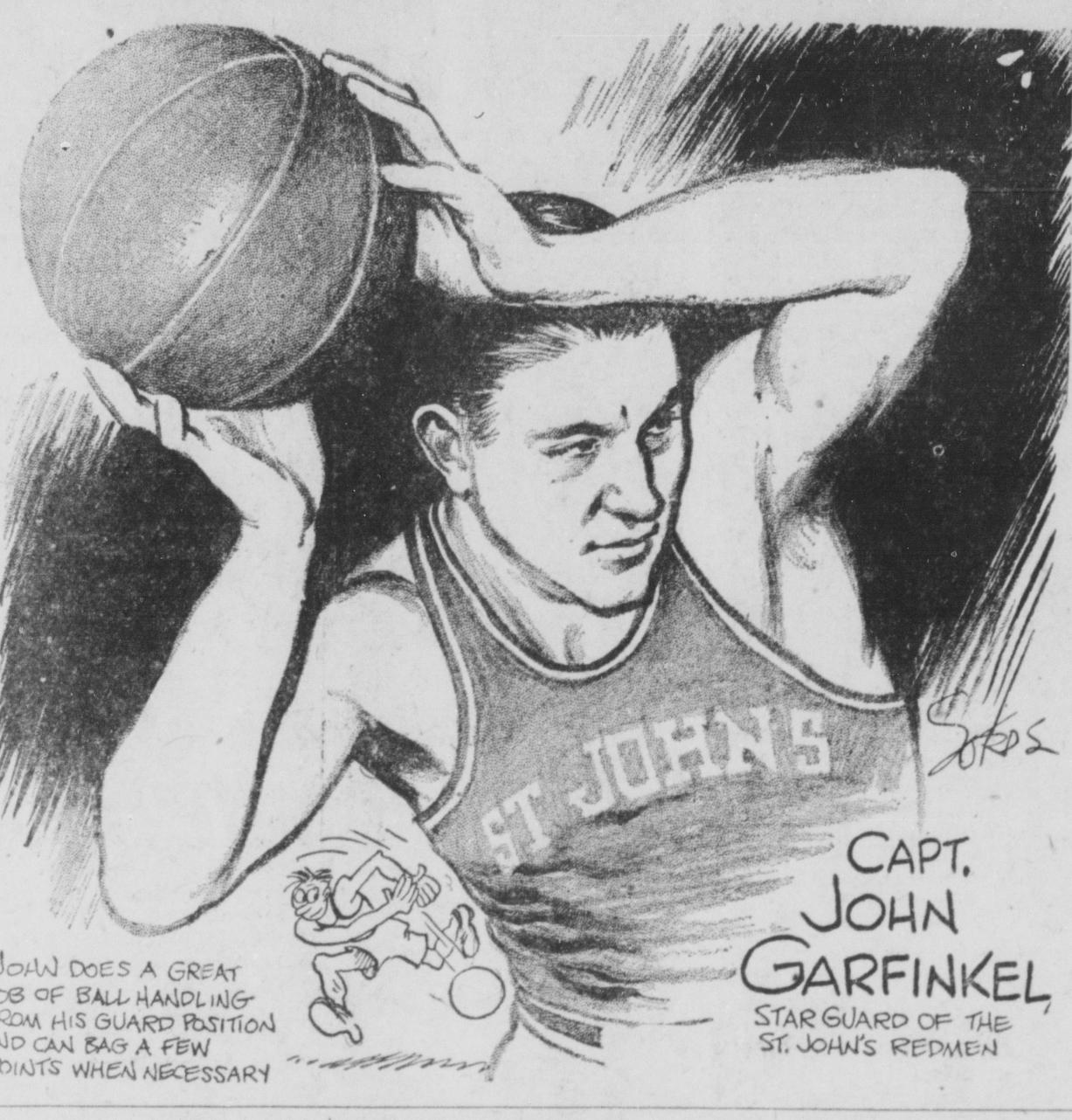
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ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT  
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DECEMBER 31, 1940

Population, 1940 ..... 1,237  
Total Salaries and Wages  
Paid During the Year ..... \$ 6,353,132  
Tax Valuation ..... \$ 43,739,48  
Tax Levy ..... 1.80 Mills  
CIRCLEVILLE, OHIO,  
JANUARY 5, 1940.

I hereby certify the following report to be correct.

## GENERAL TOWNSHIP FUNDS RECEIVED

General Property Tax ... \$ 6,975,44  
Sales Tax ..... 1,545,41  
Gasoline Tax ..... 2,550,00  
Cigarette Tax ..... 18,15  
Miscellaneous Receipts  
Grease ..... 2,02  
Liquor Permit ..... 100,00  
Total Miscellaneous ..... \$ 102,03

# CLASSIFIED ADS

## Classified Ad Rates

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Per word 3 consecutive insertions.....4c  
Per word 6 insertions.....6c  
Minimum charge for insertion.....25c  
Obituaries \$1 minimum.

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## Automotive

AUTO repairing. Clarence Barnes. Garage S. Clinton. Ph. 1290.

FOR A BETTER  
Renewed and Guaranteed  
USED CAR  
Buy—See The  
PICKAWAY SALES  
& SERVICE

W. Main St. Circleville  
Your Ford Dealer

SAVE MONEY by changing now to Winter lubricants in your transmission, differential and crankcase. Goodchild Service Station. Phone 107.

Try Our Auto Polishing  
May & Fisher  
Pure Oil Station  
Cor. Court and Water—Ph. 22

TAXI CAB—PHONE 1100.

Used  
Auto Parts

TIRES—BATTERIES  
CYLINDER HEADS  
RADIATORS  
MUFFLERS FOR ALL CARS  
CIRCLEVILLE IRON &  
METAL CO.

Phone 3 Open Sunday Morning

## Business Service

Accident Insurance  
For Hospital Bill, Car Repair  
CALL RADER AGENCY  
Phone 961

SPECIAL—\$5 Machineless wave \$3.50. Machine wave \$2 and up. Shampoo, finger wave and rinse 50c. Midlays' Beauty Shop. 112½ W. Main Main St. Phone 253.

ALL makes Washing Machines Repaired. Phone 315. A & B Radio. 410 S. Pickaway.

When You Need a  
PLUMBER  
Call "Bill" Willoughby  
114 E. Water St. 35 Yr. Exp.

STOVES REPAIRED—Parts for all stoves—Adell's—North of Cemetery.

## Financial

WE WILL LOAN you money to buy, build or repair your house or for personal needs. Interest 6%. Scioto Building & Loan Co.

## BUSINESS DIRECTORY

A Detailed Reference to Business Facilities of Circleville

## ATTORNEY

KENNETH M. ROBBINS  
Attorney at Law  
119½ W. Main St.

## AUCTIONEERS

WALTER BUMGARNER  
R. F. D. No. 2

V. M. DILTZ RFD 4  
Phones 5021.

## AUTOMOBILE DEALERS

HARDEN-STEVENS CO.  
Chevrolet Phone 522

## DAIRY PRODUCTS DEALERS

PICKAWAY DAIRY ASSN.

Pickaway Butter Phone 28

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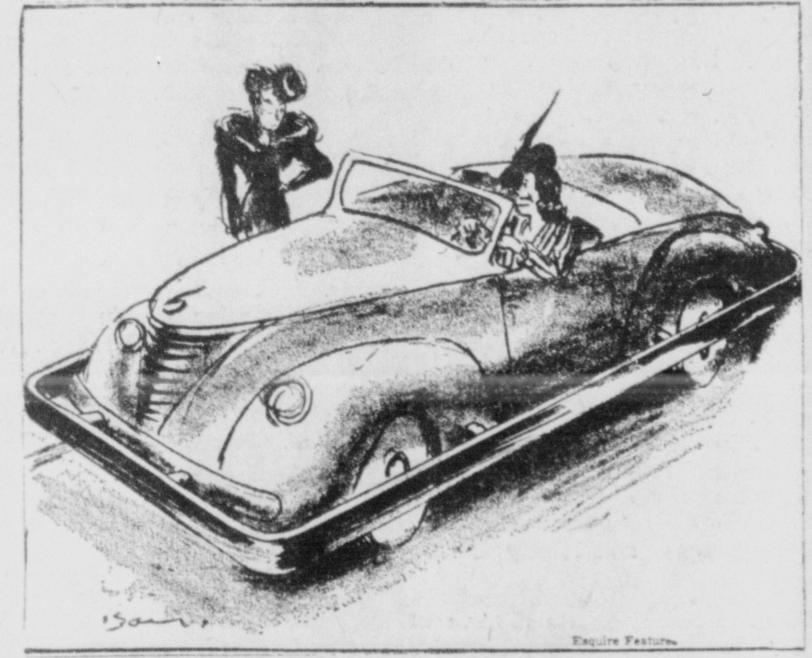
114 E. Main St. Phone 236

## OPTOMETRIST

DR. E. HEDGES  
110½ W. Main St. Phone 218

## TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

by Baer



"My husband had it fixed through that auto specialties service in The Herald classified ads until I get used to driving in traffic."

## Articles For Sale

FOR SALE: 1940 Ford utility Coupe. Excellent condition, one owner. K. W. Greeno—Ford Dealer, Stoutsburg, O., Ph. 4541.

## BUY INTERWOVEN SOCKS

WOOD—fire place or furnace. Phone 862.

FOR SALE—1937 Lincoln Zephyr, mechanically A-1. Will sell for less than you would expect to pay. Call at 962 South Washington Street after 5 o'clock.

SEE us for stock tanks, tank heaters, all year hog waterers, feed grinders at Hill Implement Co.

Wear Comfortable Arrow Shirts

Call

THOMAS RADER

& SONS

—for—

Cement Blocks

Sewer Tile

Builders' Supplies

Plaster

Cement

Lime

West Virginia Coal

PHONE 601

STETSON HATS FOR STYLE

NEW 9x12 Felt Base Rugs \$3.79

50 lb. mattress \$4.98. Cash and carry. R. & R. Auction & Sales Co., 162 W. Main St., Phone 1366.

Cheney Cravats—Quality ties.

BRIQUETTES at Low Prices

Buy This Month

THE PICKAWAY GRAIN CO.

Phone 91

BALES, Timothy Hay, Glen Hay, Ashville, Phone 3640.

SOME exceptionally nice farms for sale near Circleville. Farm loans at 4%.

W. D. HEISKELL

Williamsport, Ohio

Authorized Agent for

Prudential Insurance Co. of

America

REAL ESTATE FOR RENT

FLAT, 223 South Scioto Street, Phone 1227.

6 ROOM HOUSE, 504 E. Main Street, Phone 1227.

2-3 ROOM furnished apartment, 226 Walnut.

Lowest Cost Method of Heating.

Automatic Deluxe Master STOKER



With an automatic stoker you fill the hopper only every 24 or 48 hours, no ashes to remove, no grate to shake, assures even temperature at all times. Burns every bit of the coal making it the most economic heat possible. No dirt, soot or smudge in house. Burns much cheaper priced coal saving much money. Burns every bit of coal.

SAVE TIME AND MONEY WITH A STOKER.  
NO MORE FURNACE TENDING,  
MORE HEAT AT LESS COST

Let us show you how to save money by installing an Automatic Stoker. On display now for your inspection at

Helvering & Scharenberg

240 E. Ohio Street, Circleville, Ohio

"Smart, Thrifty People are Buying Stokers"

## Musical Instruments

## NOTICE

I would like to correspond with some one in or near Circleville who needs a piano and who could continue payments of \$2.50 per week. To such a person I have a beautiful small size spinet piano I will repossess and sell for the balance due. For further information as to where piano may be seen, write Paul F. Pfaff, Credit Adjuster, Williams Music Store, 30 E. Broad St., Columbus, Ohio.

REPOSSESSED standard make spinet piano (sold last July), now being offered for only \$185. Cash, trade or \$10 monthly payments. Heaton's Music Store, 78 N. High Street, Columbus, Ohio.

## Wanted To Buy

SPECIAL PRICES for raw furs. Caddy Miller Hat Shop.

Highest Market Prices Paid on

## Raw Furs

## beef hides.

Circleville Iron & Metal Co., Mill and Clinton St. Phone No. 315.

## 2. 1940 Westinghouse Sweepers, demonstrators, tank style. Regular \$59.95. Will sell for \$29.95. Harpster &amp; Yost Hardville.

WANTED—Would like to buy a used building about 18x36 feet in size. Tison E. Dozer, Stoutsburg.

HIGHEST market prices paid on beef hide. Ernest Crites, Stoutsburg.

## Employment—Female

ALERT married woman or widow. Earnings \$12 to \$16 weekly. Permanent position, splendid future. Write Maisonette Frocks, Columbus, Ohio.

## Employment—Male

OPPORTUNITY for right man to sell popular low and medium price car, for long established local dealer. Write box 290 % Herald.

## Live Stock

FRESH COW with calf. Howard Lane, ½ mile east of Thatcher.

## Real Estate For Sale

6 ROOM. Imitation brick—extra good. Full basement, smoke house and garage, extra lot. 1238 South Pickaway.

## WE SELL FARMS

335 ACRES, Pickaway Twp., 4 A. woods, bal. tillable, wells, springs, creek, 8 rm. frame house, barn 40x50 with shed and crib attached, granary, sheds, large hog house, ½ of 90 A. growing wheat. Poss. March 1.

IRISH COBBLER POTATOES, Number two, 100 pound bag \$1.00. Woodrow Forther, Route 2.

2 WHEEL TRAILER, 2 mile East on route 22. Cecil Elliot.

NOTH END building lot for sale. A very desirable building site with plenty of frontage, situated on one of the better streets in the north end of the city. To make arrangements to see this lot and talk to the owner, address box 267, care of The Herald.

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CARL R. BEATY, REALTOR, 129½ W. Main St. Phone 701. Valentine & Watt, Agents

FRIDAY, JANUARY 10

Assigned's sale, near Greenfield, ½ mile west of State route 41, regular property of Earl M. Grove, Assignor. Cattle, horses, farm implements, feed. Willard C. Walters, Assignee. Walter Bumgarner, Auctioneer.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 11

Public Auction of household goods at 111 Main Street at one o'clock. Cows, hogs, sheep, farm implements, household goods. Roy Leist, Emanuel Dresbach, Auctioneer.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 14

Public Auction at Roy Leist residence, one mile west of Circleville on the Stoutsburg Road at 11 o'clock. Cows, hogs, sheep, farm implements, feed. Willard C. Walters, Auctioneer.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 16

Public Auction of horses, cattle, implements, 5 miles north of Circleville just off Walnut Creek Pike on Thursday, January 16, 1941 at 12:30 p. m. K. D. Groce, Orren Updyke, Auctioneer. H. L. Groce, clerk.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 15

Closing out sale on Bennett Farm, Judas road, 3 miles south of Williamsport, Cattle, Hogs, Implements, Harness and feed. W. C. Vorhees, Walter Bumgarner, Auctioneer.

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SATURDAY, JANUARY 25

Closing out sale on Miller Farm, 1½ miles west of Circleville, 1½ miles south



## CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

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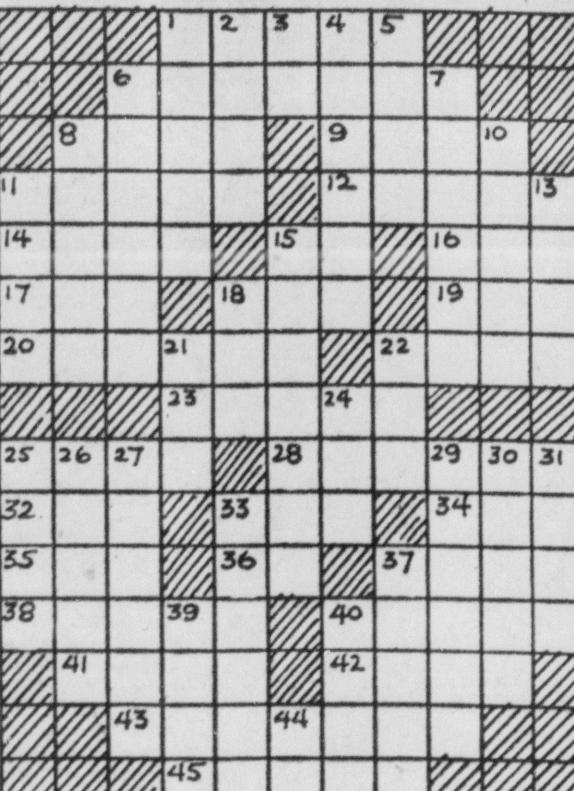
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28. Bring into being
32. Crude metal
33. Pig pen
34. Girl's nickname
35. Cover
36. Ester
37. —Crosby, singer
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41. Bristlecone
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45. Skinned

**DOWN**

1. Musical instrument
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4. Reverberated
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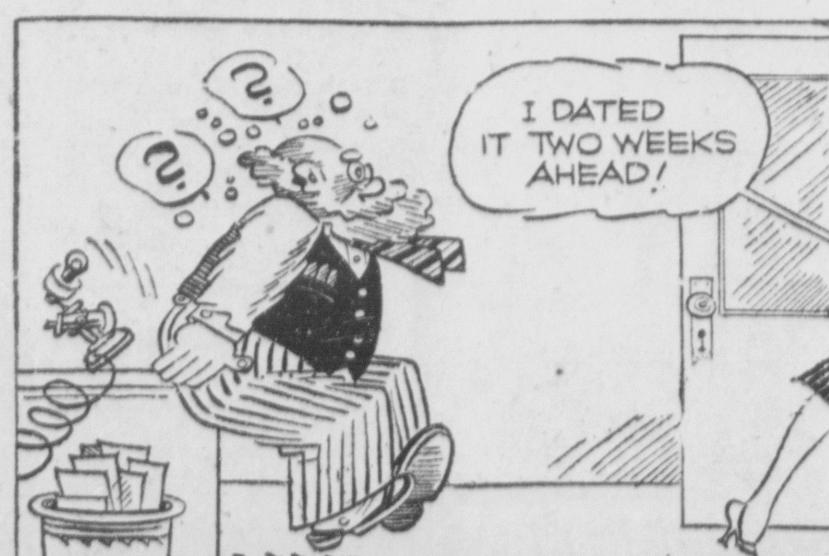
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## SCOTT'S SCRAP BOOK

By R. J. Scott



## POLLY AND HER PALS



## ROOM AND BOARD



Gene Ahern

## BRICK BRADFORD

BRADFORD, I SHALL NEVER FORGET THAT FIRST TEST FLIGHT — IT WAS THE MOST AMAZING EPISODE IN AERONAUTICS SINCE THE WRIGHTS ROSE OFF KITTY HAWK!



## By William Ritt and Harold Gray



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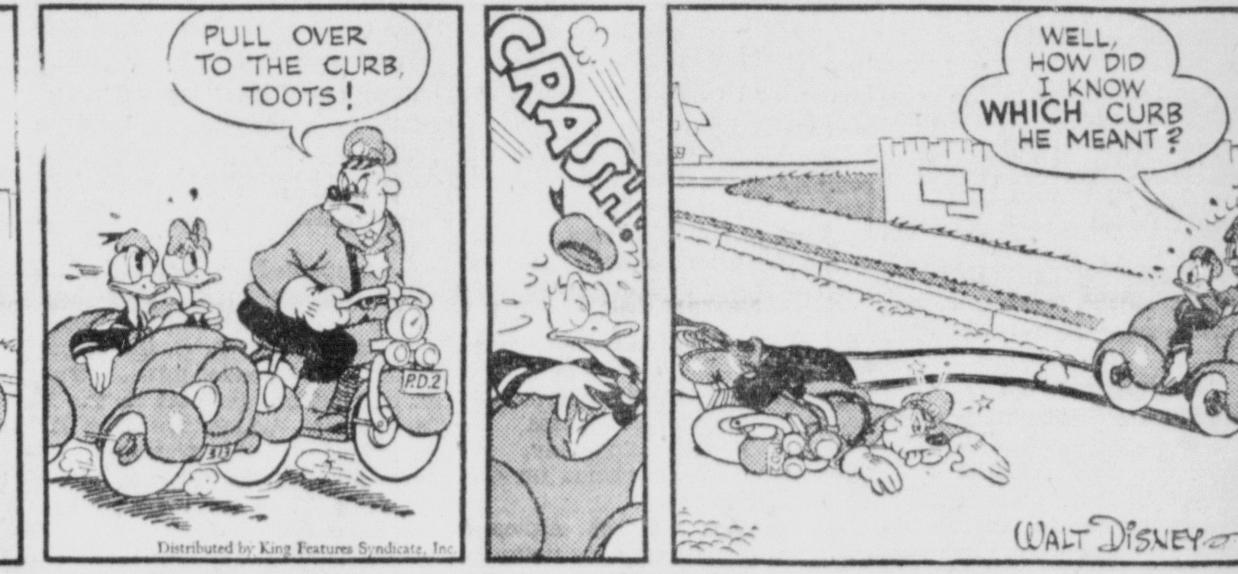
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# INFLUENZA CLOSES LAURELVILLE SCHOOL

## 74 GRADE, HIGH PUPILS SUFFER FROM AILMENT

Forty Percent Of Boys, Girls At Saltcreek Out Of Classes

### OTHER TOWNSHIPS VARY

Circleville Lists Large Number Of Cases In All Buildings

#### BULLETIN

The Saltcreek board of education closed the school Thursday, as influenza cases in the school mounted to an estimated 50 percent of the total enrollment. The board's action was taken on the recommendation of Health Commissioner A. D. Blackburn.

Continued spread of influenza in the Pickaway County vicinity closed the Laurelville school Thursday and threatened to cause others to shut down because of absences.

Circleville schools reported absences high in both the grades and the high school. High School Principal J. Wray Henry said there were 56 absences in the high school Wednesday, and although not all were influenza cases, the percentage was high. Two high school teachers also are reported to have the ailment.

Nine teachers of the Circleville system were unable to teach their classes Thursday, Superintendent Frank Fischer said.

Laurelville schools closed after the epidemic spread to 74 pupils in the grade and high school. The school will remain closed the rest of the week, but will reopen Monday unless the epidemic spreads.

Saltcreek Township school remained open Thursday, despite reports that cases in the school was running as high as 40 percent. Authorities at Walnut Township school estimated their attendance had been reduced by 15 percent, with Ashville also reporting a number of cases. Nineteen of the 31 students in the seventh grade at Ashville were absent Wednesday.

#### Others Scattered

Scioto Township school reported a few cases, although the disease has by no means reached epidemic proportions, authorities said. Attendance at Pickaway Township also has been effected, with 33 reported absent Monday and 25 Wednesday. Mumps in the school account for some of the absences, it was pointed out.

John Florence, superintendent at Washington Township school, said attendance at the Washington school was good, although three youngsters were absent because of mumps. The flu epidemic struck the school earlier in the season, he said, and now attendance had returned almost to normal.

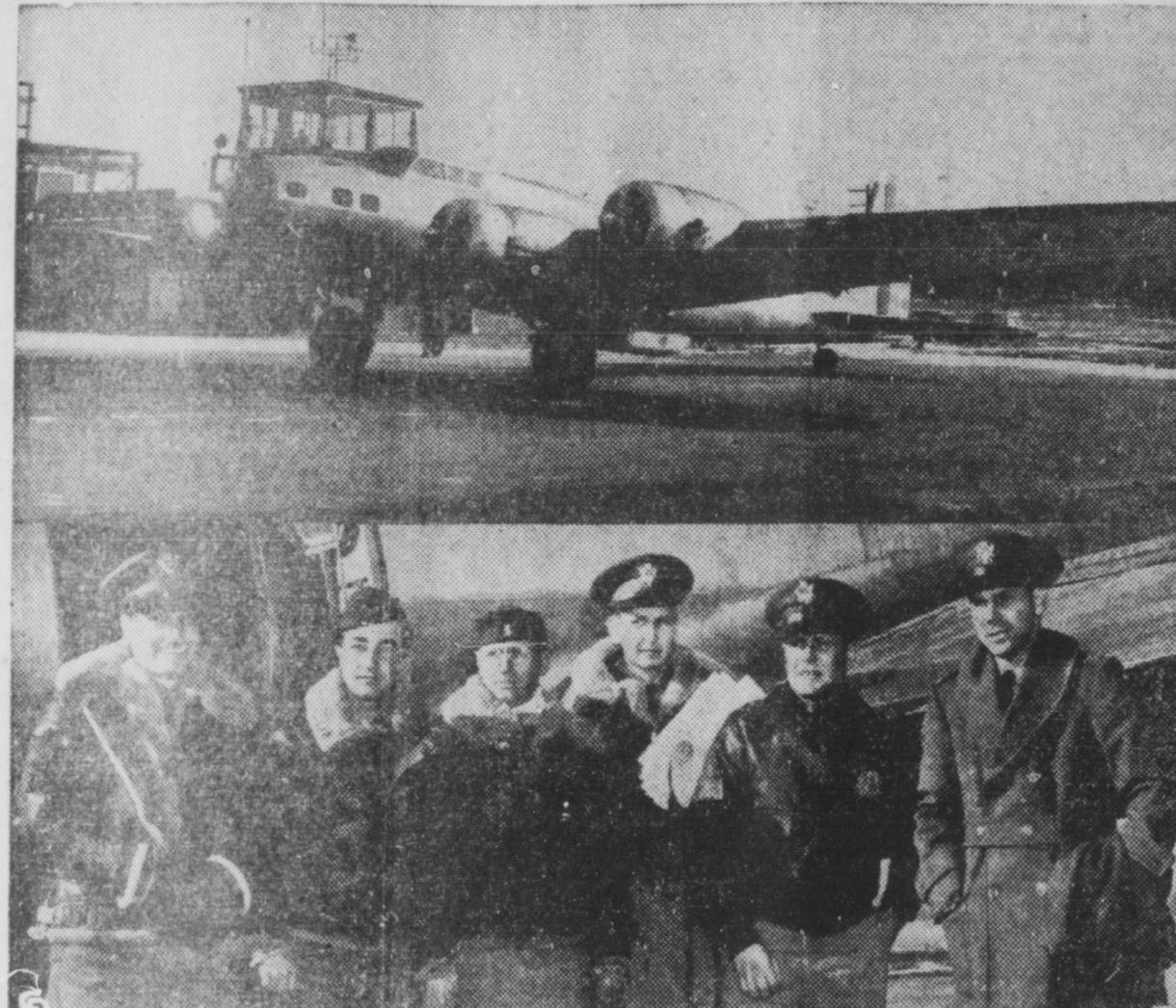
Pielgord Hansen, superintendent at Jackson Township, reported attendance normal Thursday, and said the school had not been affected materially by the disease.

Additional schools in the Portsmouth region closed Thursday as the epidemic continued to spread. All Green Township schools were dismissed, including Green High School near Franklin Furnace.

Bloom Township schools at Scioto Furnace and at South Webster, including the high school at the Kyra Consolidated School in Vernon Township also were closed Thursday.

School officials estimated that more than one third of the pupils in Scioto rural schools are out

Here Are Plane and Crew of Long Army Flight



PICTURED above is the United States army bomber and its crew which made a 3,050-mile non-stop non-refueling flight out of Dayton, O., at an average speed of 190 miles an hour. Originally planned as a long-range high altitude flight at 15,000 feet and above, the bomber was forced to fly at half that altitude for most of the trip due to cross-winds of high velocity.

## Ford to Start Work On Plane Part Production

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Jan. 9—Edsel Ford, 47-year-old president of Ford Motor Company, after inspecting the huge plant of Consolidated Aircraft which manufactures bombing patrol planes for the Army and Navy, said today his company "will manufacture plane parts" for assembly at Consolidated's new plant to be located at Fort Worth, Texas.

Ford expected to remain in San Diego today and possibly tomorrow to complete the deal with Consolidated and to further inspect the big plant.

He expressed amazement at the complex character of the processing which goes into the huge long range B-24 bombers, and declared that an entirely different type of plant would have to augment the present facilities at the Ford River Rouge plant to enable fabrication.

Ford declared his plant also would manufacture parts for Douglas Aircraft Company, engaged in building planes for the War Department.

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## 74 GRADE, HIGH PUPILS SUFFER FROM AILMENT

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## OTHER TOWNSHIPS VARY

Circleville Lists Large Number Of Cases In All Buildings

## BULLETIN

The Saltcreek board of education closed the school Thursday, as influenza cases in the school mounted to an estimated 50 percent of the total enrollment. The board's action was taken on the recommendation of Health Commissioner A. D. Blackburn.

Continued spread of influenza in the Pickaway County vicinity closed the Laurelville school Thursday and threatened to cause others to shut down because of absences.

Circleville schools reported absences high in both the grades and the high school. High School Principal J. Wray Henry said there were 56 absences in the high school Wednesday, and although not all were influenza cases, the percentage was high. Two high school teachers also are reported to have the ailment.

Nine teachers of the Circleville system were unable to teach their classes Thursday, Superintendent Frank Fischer said.

Laurelville schools closed after the epidemic spread to 74 pupils in the grade and high school. The school will remain closed the rest of the week, but will reopen Monday unless the epidemic spreads.

Saltcreek Township school remained open Thursday, despite reports that cases in the school was running as high as 40 percent. Authorities at Walnut Township school estimated their attendance had been reduced by 15 percent, with Ashville also reporting a number of cases. Nineteen of the 31 students in the seventh grade at Ashville were absent Wednesday.

## Others Scattered

Scioto Township school reported a few cases, although the disease has by no means reached epidemic proportions, authorities said. Attendance at Pickaway Township also has been effected, with 33 reported absent Monday and 25 Wednesday. Mumps in the school account for some of the absences, it was pointed out.

John Florence, superintendent at Washington Township school, said attendance at the Washington school was good, although three youngsters were absent because of mumps. The flu epidemic struck the school earlier in the season, he said, and now attendance had returned almost to normal.

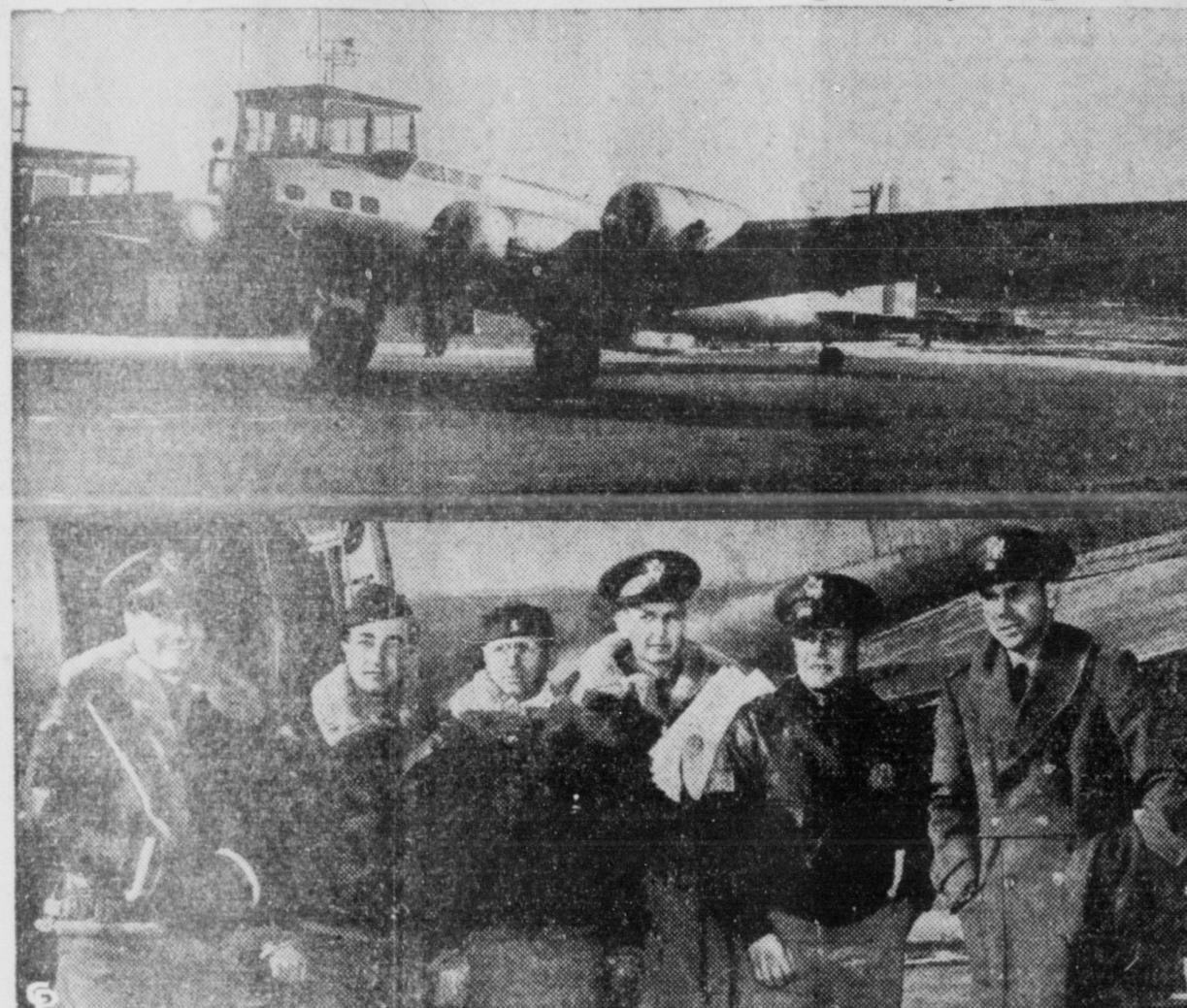
Pielgord Hansen, superintendent at Jackson Township, reported attendance normal Thursday, and said the school had not been affected materially by the disease.

Additional schools in the Portsmouth region closed Thursday as the epidemic continued to spread. All Green Township schools were dismissed, including Green High School near Franklin Furnace.

Bloom Township schools at Scioto Furnace and at South Webster, including the high school at the Kyra Consolidated School in Vernon Township also were closed Thursday.

School officials estimated that more than one third of the pupils in Scioto rural schools are out

Here Are Plane and Crew of Long Army Flight



PICTURED above is the United States army bomber and its crew which made a 3,050-mile non-stop non-refueling flight out of Dayton, O., at an average speed of 190 miles an hour. Originally planned as a long-range high altitude flight at 15,000 feet and above, the bomber was forced to fly at half that altitude for most of the trip due to cross-winds of high velocity.

## Ford to Start Work On Plane Part Production

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Jan. 9—Edsel Ford, 47-year-old president of Ford Motor Company, after inspecting the huge plant of Consolidated Aircraft which manufactures bombing patrol planes for the Army and Navy, said today his company "will manufacture plane parts" for assembly at Consolidated's new plant to be located at Fort Worth, Texas.

Ford expected to remain in San Diego today and possibly tomorrow to complete the deal with Consolidated and to further inspect the big plant.

He expressed amazement at the complex character of the processing which goes into the huge long range B-24 bombers, and declared that an entirely different type of plant would have to augment the present facilities at the Ford River Rouge plant to enable fabrication.

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